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SUBJECT Proposed 1955 Production at
VEB Chemische Werke Finowtal

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The following tables indicate the proposed 1955 production at VEB
Chemische Werke Finowtal:

Triacetatecellulose:

Expected 1955 Production	400 tons
I/55	130 tons
II/55	135 tons
III/55	135 tons

Production depends on the supply of tempering agents (Linders) which
are to be obtained from

For this amount of production, 860 tons of acetic anhydrid would be
needed in the following amounts:

I/55	100 tons
II/55	250 tons
III/55	250 tons
IV/55	250 tons

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Whether this production will proceed exactly according to plan was not
known, since this is an entirely new type of production during which
various types of "growing pains" can make themselves apparent. Also,
the question of the return shipments of acetic anhydride to the Buna
Works was not clarified.

Nickel-content galvanosalts: 1 100 tons, 25 tons each quarter

Chromium-content galvanosalts: 50 tons: I/55 12 tons
II/55 13 tons
III/55 12 tons
IV/55 13 tons

Tin-content galvanosalts: 40 tons, 10 tons each quarter

Copper-content galvanosalts: 36 tons, 9 tons each quarter

Silver-content galvanosalts: 2 tons, .5 tons each quarter

Other galvanosalts: 100 tons, 25 tons each quarter

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Grinding and polishing paste: 60 tons, 15 tons each quarter
Cresol fractions: Cresol DAB 4 12 tons, 3 tons each quarter
Metallic cresol,
pure 4 tons, 1 ton each quarter

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